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¶Mrs. Jeanette Paddock Nichols, a student of Columbia University, New York, while working among historic documents at Washington, D. C., in preparing a history of Alaska, came upon a rich store of information about Seattle and the Klondike. Through the courtesy of Mr. Waldo G. Leland of the Department of Historical Research, Carnegie Institution of Washington, an article on that subject was forwarded to this Quarterly.

¶C. L. Andrews, who contributes the interesting article about the first wreck on the shores of what is now the State of Washington, is well known to readers of this Quarterly. He has furnished for its pages a number of articles on the history of Alaska.

¶The new department—Pacific Northwest Americana—should prove of special interest and value to collectors of rare items and to librarians throughout the special region covered.

¶Volume XIII., beginning with this issue, will be richer in content and service rendered than any of its predecessors if earnest care and effort by the editors can make it so.